

**Compulsory English Course for T.Y.B.Sc. Examinations of
March/April, 2003 onwards**

1. **Text : Twelve contemporary short stories : (OUP). ... 25 marks**
The following stories are to be omitted (1) Parson's Pleasure (2) Hate
(3) To Build a Fire (4) A Rhinoceros, some Ladies and a Horse.
2. **Reading and Comprehension : Precise writing of prose passages. ... 12 marks**
(Not more than 300 words) of general interest and questions to test inferential
and interpretative skills).
3. **Writing Composition :**
 - (i) Writing a short composition of not more than 150 words on a given topic ... 08 marks
or sentence.
 - (ii) Letters : Formal leave notes, applications, complaints, letters to the editor etc. ... 10 marks
4. **Speaking: Developing a dialogue on familiar Situations. ... 08 marks**
5. **Translation : From English into Gujarati or Hindi of a given passage of about ... 07 marks**
150 words.